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**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT of CALIFORNIA**

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| UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, |) | Case No.: 1:22-CR-00195-NODJ-BAM-2 |
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| Plaintiff, |) | STIPULATION AND ORDER TO |
| |) | CONTINUE THE SENTENCING DATE |
| vs. |) | |
| |) | |
| MELISSA ARAUJO , |) | |
| |) | |
| Defendant |) | |

TO: THE CLERK OF THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT, HONORABLE
BARBARA A. MCAULIFFE AND ANTONIO PATACA, ASSISTANT UNITED STATES
ATTORNEY:

COMES NOW Defendant, MELISSA ARAUJO, by and through her attorney of record,
DAVID TORRES, hereby requesting that the sentencing hearing currently set for Monday
March 25, 2024 at 8:30 a.m. be continued to May 20th, 2024 at 8:30 a.m.

Counsel is requesting a continuance due to scheduling conflicts with USPO Elizabeth
Gutierrez. I have spoken to AUSA Antonio Pataca, and he has no objection to continuing the
sentencing hearing.

The parties also agree the delays resulting from the continuance shall be excluded in the
interest of justice pursuant to 18 USC 3161 (h)(7)(A) and 3161 (h)(7)(B)(1) and (IV) because it
results from a continuance granted by the Court at defendant's request on the basis of the Court's

1 finding that the ends of justice served by taking such action outweigh the best interest of the
2 public and the defendant in a speedy trial.

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4 **IT IS SO STIPULATED.**

5 Respectfully Submitted,

6 DATED: February 21, 2024

/s/ *David Torres*

7 DAVID TORRES
8 Attorney for Defendant
9 MELISSA ARAUJO

10 DATED: February 21, 2024

/s/ *Antonio Pataca*

11 ANTONIO PATACA
12 Assistant U.S. Attorney
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ORDER

IT IS SO ORDERED that the sentencing hearing be continued from March 25, 2024 to
May 20, 2024 at 8:30 a.m. in Courtroom 5 before the District Court Judge.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

Dated: **February 21, 2024**

/s/ *Barbara A. McAuliffe*
UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE